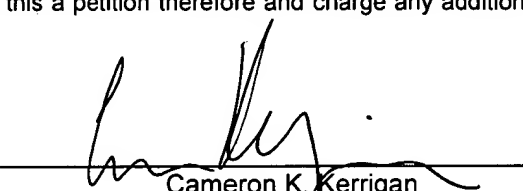


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. 50623.140
In re Application of: Wouter E. Roorda et al.			
Serial No. 09/966,420	Filing Date: September 27, 2001	Examiner: J.K. Michener	Group Art Unit 1762
Invention: Methods For Coating An Implantable Device			RECEIVED
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:			FEB 27 2004
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>October 14, 2003</u> , in the above-identified application.			
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months			
From: <u>January 14, 2004</u> until <u>February 17, 2004</u> Date Date			
The fee for the extension of time is \$110.00 and is to be paid as follows:			
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 07-1850.			
Dated: February 17, 2004 Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. 1 Maritime Plaza, Suite 300 San Francisco, CA 94111 (415) 954-0200		 Cameron K. Kerrigan Reg. No. 44,826	
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